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SENTENCING IN TEXAS TO MOBILE COCAINE CONSPIRACY

MOBILE, AL-- Wayne Maurice Lafitte, a Mobile resident, was sentenced today to a 60 month sentence by United States District Court Judge Kristi K. DuBose.

Lafitte entered a guilty plea to conspiracy to possess with intent to distribute cocaine. The case arose from Lafitte's January 7, 2008 arrest in Mobile and the seizure of five kilograms of cocaine. Lafitte admitted that he had received seven kilograms of cocaine in Mobile on January 7 just hours before his arrest. Lafitte also admitted he was purchasing cocaine from Texas resident Daron Jones. Lafitte has been in custody since his January 7, 2008 arrest.

The case was investigated by the Mobile County Sheriff's Department, the Mobile Police Department and the FBI. The case was prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Deborah Griffin.

United States v. Lafitte, Criminal Number 08-00040.

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